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TITLE A Method For Interleaving Of Half Rate Channels Suitable For Half Duplex Operation And Statistical Multiplexing

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NEW APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b)

Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

Specification (42 pages)

21 Informal Sheets of drawing(s)

Declaration and Power of Attorney (UNSIGNED)

CLAIMS AS FILED				
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Total Claims	13 - 20 =	0	x \$18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =	0	x \$78 =	\$0
Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$260 =	\$0
Basic Fee				\$690
			TOTAL FEE	\$690

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